## Holsman, Marianne

From: Holsman, Marianne

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 6:32 PM

To: Soderlund, Dianne Cc: Pirzadeh, Michelle

Subject: Fw: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

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From: Holsman, Marianne

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 28, 2013 6:24:26 PM **To:** McLerran, Dennis; Pirzadeh, Michelle

Subject: Fw: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

Hi Dennis:

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From: Holsman, Marianne

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 6:13:10 PM

To: Walsh, Ed

Cc: Distefano, Nichole; Vaught, Laura; Bloom, David; Schuster, Cindy; Philip, Jeff; Pirzadeh, Michelle

Subject: Re: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

Hi Ed:

Marianne Holsman Public Affairs Director EPA Region 10, Seattle 206.553.1237 desk 206.450.5895 cell

From: Walsh, Ed

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 5:36:51 PM

To: Holsman, Marianne

Cc: Distefano, Nichole; Vaught, Laura; Bloom, David

Subject: Fw: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

Hi marianne.

Thanks

Ed

From: Fonnesbeck, Leif (Appropriations)

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 8:23:00 PM

To: Walsh, Ed

Subject: Fw: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

Will call shortly.

From: Baker, Miles (Murkowski)

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 08:06 PM Eastern Standard Time

To: Dillon, Robert (Energy); Billups, Karen (Energy); Froehlich, Kaleb (Energy); 'Colin Hayes'; McCormick,

Patrick (Energy)

Cc: Sterne, Jay (Murkowski); Fonnesbeck, Leif (Appropriations)

Subject: RE: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

Copying Jay and Leif as they have been having the most recent interactions with EPA and may know something.

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From: Dillon, Robert (Energy)

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 07:55 PM Eastern Standard Time

**To:** Billups, Karen (Energy); Froehlich, Kaleb (Energy); Colin Hayes; McCormick, Patrick (Energy)

Cc: Baker, Miles (Murkowski)

Subject: EPA raiding Alaska mining claims with armed officers

I just got a call from Alaska reporter who is responding to reports that the EPA is doing mine compliance checks with armed officers along the Fortymile National in east-central Alaska. The EPA confirmed to the reporter that armed officers raided several mines across Alaska. Reader submitted claims they came into family placer claims SWAT-style with air cover. EPA confirms aircraft were used.

Does anyone know about this? Can some one call the EPA? If it's true should respond and let LAM know tonight.

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